Amendments to the Specification

This listing of paragraphs will replace all prior paragraphs as follows:

Kindly replace the paragraph on page 8, line 6 with the following:

Figure 2 is a diagram of a data structure suitable for supporting the enrollment process 105 illustrated in Figure 1 and the conference call admission process 405 shown in Figures 4 and 5. This data structure may be suitable for forming, at least in part, the individual records that comprise the data store 110. More particularly, given records in the data store 110 can be populated with data representing the unique identifier(s) 103 associated with the enrolled conference call host 100 as discussed herein. Illustrative examples of these unique identifiers 103 can include, but are not limited to, data representing a handset, a physical or virtual location, or an originating telephone number(s) from which the conference call host 100 may initiate communications to access conferencing services, and/or a unique destination telephone number assigned to a host 100 by the conference call subscription process. Loading at least these unique identifiers 103 into the data store 110 can support or enable one or more software or hardware components comprising the conference call admission process 405 to process future incoming requests for conference calls. Specifically, as discussed below in connection with Figures 3-8, the invention can process a destination number (obtained via e.g., DNIS) and/or an originating number (obtained via e.g., ANI) associated with an incoming telephone call and determine that this telephone call was initiated by a conference call host 100 enrolled in conferencing services according to the instant invention. On at least this basis, the conference call admission process 405 can determine that this host 100 should be directly connected to a conference call as discussed below.